

Constitution for C4 College Experience
of
University of North Carolina-Charlotte

Article I: Organization Name

This constitution establishes a campus movement, geared for the glorification of Jesus Christ, at the University of North Carolina at Charlotte. The official name used to refer to our group both on- and off-campus will be C4 College Experience, amongst us and other organizations.

Article II: Purpose

Section I: As a student organization, C4 College Experience seeks to be a community of faith, hope and love, who are “called” to “connect” college students and young adults with the love and majesty of Jesus Christ, while being “catalysts” of “compassion” to UNC-Charlotte and all of the campuses throughout the greater Charlotte metropolitan area. We desire to offer an environment where students will not only be reached by Christ’s redeeming love, but also be a venue for Biblical fellowship with other students, the local church and the Kingdom, nationally and globally through international service projects.

Section II: C4 College Experience is willing to abide by all UNC-Charlotte policies and guidelines relating to on- or off-campus activities that our club may sponsor or in which we may participate.

Article III: Membership

Section I: Any student in good standing with UNC-Charlotte can become a member of C4 College Experience, without any restrictions upon membership. Membership only requires an individual express interest in the group and attend meetings regularly. C4 College Experience will not collect dues for membership. However, a due may be asked of members, in order to, attend a conference or event off-campus to cover travel, food, and lodging.

Section II: Fundraisers will be used to defray costs of international trips.

Section III: Any member of C4 College Experience can, at any time, voluntarily withdraw from participating in our organization. In the event that they may hold an office or a key leadership position, it is necessary that they inform the organization ahead of time so that their position may be filled by official process upon their departure.

Section IV: In keeping with UNC-Charlotte’s policy of nondiscrimination, C4 College Experience does not restrict a student from joining our organization on the basis of race, color, religion, gender, national origin, age, sexual orientation, and physical or mental ability or disability.

Section V: A member may be removed if they have performed an act that is seen to be detrimental to the greater good of C4 College Experience. This person will stand before the President and the Vice President followed by a meeting with the student advisors, in order to reconcile differences. If differences cannot be reconciled after the two-said meetings, then that person will be removed from membership of within the organizational structure of C4 College Experience.

Article IV: Officers

Section I: Four officers shall govern C4 College Experience although the organization reserves the right to create other positions upon demand (ad-hoc). Officially, these four officers will be called President, Vice President, Secretary, and Treasurer. These officers, the faculty advisor, student advisors and any ad-hoc positions created by C4 College Experience will comprise the executive committee of C4 College Experience. Any other committees will be created also ad-hoc based on recommendations made to the executive committee by the membership of C4 College Experience.

Section II: The President of C4 College Experience shall keep in close contact with our on-campus faculty advisor, as well as, our off-campus student advisors. The President shall inform the governing officers of any pertinent information. The President will also help lead and organize C4 College Experience events.

Section III: The Vice President of C4 College Experience will be privy to the information the President withholds. The Vice President will assist the President in all things.

Section IV: The Secretary of C4 College Experience will assist the President and Vice President in communicating campus movement events and information with the student advisors. The Secretary will assist in organizing leadership meeting for the officers of C4 College Experience.

Section V: The Treasurer of C4 College Experience will help organize fundraisers and rent facilities for on- and off-campus events. The Treasurer will assist the student advisors, in the overseeing of any financial matters involving the movement.

Section VI: An officer may be put up for removal by request of any member of C4 College Experience. Once an officer is nominated for removal, the request will be brought up before a council made up of all of the remaining officers, the faculty advisor and the movement's student advisors. The requested officer will be given an opportunity to plead their case before this council and then a vote of confidence will be taken. The officer will be removed if a majority of the council votes in favor of removal of said-officer.

Article V: Function/Operation

Section I: Per UNC-Charlotte policy, all members of C4 College Experience may nominate and vote on the appointment of student officers. Any current member of C4 College Experience with a mature understanding of our purpose and the capability to effectively lead students in carrying out our purpose is eligible to be an officer within the movement. Any student appointed to a position of leadership has the right to decline the invitation to be on the leadership team of C4 College Experience.

Section II: Any current member of the organization can make nominations for upcoming student officers. The faculty advisor and student advisors may only advise in the nomination process, in accordance with the purposes of a student-directed organization.

Section III: Through the voting process, all members of C4 College Experience have the ability to decide the organization's student officers and any other members of the leadership team that are appointed ad-hoc.

Section IV: Officers will serve for an entire academic year (including the summer sessions) and an officer will continue to be eligible for re-appointment as long as they remain a student at UNC-Charlotte.

Section V: The impeachment process of an officer will be carried out by a majority vote of the remaining officers.

Section VI: The on-campus advisor for C4 College Experience will be Charles E. Pierce, Information and Technology Services. He will advise C4 College Experience on matters related to rules, regulations and processes of planning and carrying out functions on the campus of UNC-Charlotte. The off-campus advisor(s) of C4 College Experience will be the designated student advisors, appointed by the executive committee. In the event that a new on-campus advisor would need to be appointed, the student advisors and the C4 College Experience leadership team will carry out this responsibility.

Article VI: Finances

Section I: C4 College Experience plans to finance its activities through fundraisers, along with the support of various churches, nonprofit organizations, and through the giving of donations.

Article VII: Constitutional Amendments

Section I: Any member of C4 College Experience can propose amendments at any time. The Constitution may only be changed by a majority rule vote by the executive leadership team, made up of the officers, faculty advisor and student advisors.